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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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JUL 2 2 2004. TRANSMITTAL LETTER MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Serial No.: 10/621,804 Filing Date: July 17, 2003 Examiner: Anita A. King Group Art Unit: 3632 Invention: "Portable Containment Unit" Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Small Entity Status is/has been asserted for this application under 37 CFR 1.27. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed. No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below: No. of Claims Highest No. Small Non-Small Previously **Entity** After **Entity** Present Paid For Amendment Extra Charge Rate Rate x \$ 9.00 Total 20 20 x \$ 18.00 -0-Indep. x \$ 43.00 -0x \$ 86.00 First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim/s + \$145.00 + \$290.00 -0-TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE -0-A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed to cover the filing fee. A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed for a ____ month Petition for Extension of Time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated X_{-} with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed. Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. July 19, 2004 By Christian E. Shuster Date Registration No. 43,908 Attorney for Applicant I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope 700 Koppers Building addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450on 436 Seventh Avenue July 19, 2004. Pittsburgh, PA 15219-1818 Michelle Pichora Telephone: (412) 471-8815 (Typed name of person mailing paper) Facsimile: (412) 471-4094

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